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RAILROAD ARMY READY.

100,000 MEN AT THE CARRY TO BE USED IN CASE OF NEED.

Special Correspondence Shows That Preliminary Steps Have Been Taken.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Special Correspondence Extraordinary: A plan for the organization of their scattering forces has been put on foot by the railroad men of the country, and if the present enthusiasm continues to grow as it has during the last few days, it will be completed. The chief points of the bill are simple enough, and but few features are likely to be added. The interest centers in the first point of attack, and therein lies the question as to the success of the movement. Those who have investigated approve the bill, and it will be over to Congress. The railroad employes will be urged to support Democratic candidates for Congress, and under their own auspices will make their influence felt in the fall campaign. During their recent lobby in Washington on the question of consolidation, which marks the latest of bringing up the matter for action. The action of the New York State Trade Club and other organizations in calling on Congress to appropriate money for the Detroit River tunnel has also been brought to the attention of the railroad men, and they will not rest now long. The organization will not be formed until the bill is passed, and within a fortnight of the passage of the bill the railroad men will push the matter.

THE PRESIDENT WILLING.

The President has again stated under the present circumstances that he favors the passage of the bill. It is the theory that the organization of Congress will be delayed by the Democrats, and that the Republicans will be forced to the front to organize the House. Speaker Reed is expected to be the man to take the place of the Speaker who is to succeed the office of speaker, and it is understood that he would prefer to be the Speaker of the House. The Democrats will be forced to the front to organize the House. Speaker Reed is expected to be the man to take the place of the Speaker who is to succeed the office of speaker, and it is understood that he would prefer to be the Speaker of the House.

THE TWO BILLS.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—The Senate, on motion of Mr. Mitchell of Pennsylvania, took up the bill giving a pension of $1,000 a year to Mary S. Logan, widow of Gen. John A. Logan, ex-Major-General of Volunteers, the Senate passing that bill proposed a pension of $1,000 a year to the widow of Gen. Sherman and Thomas. The bill was passed without debate.

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The bill granting the company offering to build the Nicaragua Canal the right of way through the public lands was taken up, and Mr. Allen addressed the Senate in favor of the bill. He said that the Nicaragua Canal was a matter of great importance to the United States, and that the bill was necessary to enable the company to obtain the right of way through the public lands. He said that the bill was necessary to enable the company to obtain the right of way through the public lands. He said that the bill was necessary to enable the company to obtain the right of way through the public lands.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

TRANSACTIONS OF INTEREST FOR COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS.

A Change in Transportation Affairs of the Southwestern Passenger Association—The Exchange of Passenger Rates—The Rates for Rail Transportation of Cereal Cargoes—Rates for Immigrants—Transportation Rates and Regulations—Other Items of Interest.

Commissioner Judd, of the Southwestern Passenger Association, has issued a circular to the members of the association giving notice in regard to commercial travelers' mileage. The notice that on account of the failure of Commissioner of this association to secure a number of mileage books offering the agreement of Dec. 1, 1896, upon which mileage was exchanged, Section 2, Art. 3, Sec. 3, of the agreement is suspended and no mileage books shall be issued for less than 1,000 miles, nor shall any commercial traveler ask for transit in the issue of more than one penny, and such books shall not be transferable. It is stated, Commissioner Judd says, that it has been customary previous to the adoption of the agreement to accept the unused portions of mileage books taken in case of loss, where a sale to part payment for new books, and the question presented under the new agreement is whether the association could not act on Charge Gardner's decision and permit the unexpired portion to be issued by the issue from one territory to another before he has had time to use more than a fraction of the book, and the following extracts from it should be carefully read by those interested in mileage books: "Where a book is issued

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GOV. GILBERT'S MESSAGE.

Governor J. Gilbert.

ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

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BUSINESS.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

THE CITY.

PERSONAL.

The condition of A. B. Wright, President of the Board of Trade, was considered so grave last night, and he was reported as much worse this morning, that the Directors of the Board of Trade met at the house of Mr. Wright, and remained there all day.

IN GENERAL.

The trial of Harry Gilmore, charged with burglary, was postponed in Judge Gary's court yesterday.

Friday Sidney Post, Department Commander of the G. A. R., will preside at the Lincoln memorial meeting to be given at Battery D [illegible] night. The meeting is free to G. A. R.

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